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Stephens Ark
May 3¹⁸⁹⁶

Miss Fannie Wilson

I thought I would answer
your letter that you wrote
to Fannie she has got the
sore eyes and cant write
you didnt write to me
but I will write to you
I havent much to tell you
I have just got back from
uncle James ^{Millers} Carrie is dead
you dont have no idea what
a lonesome place that is
she died the last day of April
she died with the same
disease her mother died with
she was sick 5 days and nights